

**Amendments to the Specification:**

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 2, line 27, with the following rewritten paragraph:

-- The invention is to be explained in greater detail in the following text using an exemplary embodiment.

Fig. 1 diagrammatically shows an inking unit of a rotary press, having an applicator roll which can be thrown onto a form cylinder; ~~and~~

Fig. 2 diagrammatically shows a dampening unit of a rotary press having an applicator roll which can be thrown onto a form cylinder according to another embodiment;

Fig. 3 diagrammatically shows a dampening unit of a rotary press having an applicator roll which can be thrown onto a form cylinder according to yet another embodiment;  
and

Fig. 4 diagrammatically shows a dampening unit of a rotary press having an applicator roll which can be thrown onto a form cylinder according to a further embodiment. --

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 3, line 14, with the following amended paragraph:

-- In each case one linear motor in the form of an operating cylinder 9, 10 acts in a pivotably mounted manner on the levers 7, 8. A spring or an electric attraction magnet, for example, could also be used as linear motor 22 as shown in Fig. 3. Instead of by means of operating cylinders 9, 10 or linear motor 22, the levers 7, 8 can also be acted on by means of a rotary motor, for example by means of an electric, pneumatic or hydraulic motor or in a manner based on spring force. A rotary motor 11 of this type is indicated in the dampening unit of Fig. 2

(discussed in more detail below) but may also be incorporated in the inking unit of Fig. 1. As mentioned above, the rotary motor may be based on a spring force, such as the rotary spring motor 23 shown in Fig. 4. --